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MEDICINAL



Electro-Posit.
1425 N. Y. Ave.,
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Atlantic Electro-Posit: Gentlemen—For the past five years my wife has been a sufferer from dyspepsia, so completely did the disease make a wreck of her former self that life was almost entirely destroyed, and the slightest noise would throw her into a nervous condition, which would last for hours. Medical skill failed to bring any relief.

Through the recommendation of an eminent divine we were induced to try the Electro-Posit. After a persistent use of the instrument, the effect has been wonderful. Her nervous system has been restored to its normal condition; her digestion is wonderfully improved; she is rapidly gaining in flesh; and, upon the whole, is making a rapid recovery. I speak in volumes for the wonderful curative powers of the Electro-Posit, as her case was considered hopeless. If any are skeptical on the subject, let them try the Electro-Posit, and its wonderful powers will quickly dispel all doubt. Yours truly, W. M. PROBST.

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DR. E.C. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT. A guaranteed specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Neuritis, Prostration caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death. Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of Power in either sex, Involuntary Losses and Spermatorrhea, and over-indulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment. \$1.00 a box, or six boxes for \$5.00. Sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

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General Agent, Alexandria, Va.

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WE will pay the above reward for any one of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, or Cholera who can cure our wife. We are a family of five, and our wife is a sufferer from the above named ailments. She is a native of Ireland, and has been in the United States for over thirty years. She is now in the hands of the law, and is being kept in a cage. We are willing to pay the reward for any one who can cure her, and we are willing to pay the reward for any one who can cure her.

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Marriage and death notices must be paid for in advance.

[Entered at the Postoffice, Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

THE B. & O. R. R.—The B. & O. has recently made some financial arrangement by which it will be enabled to extend its lines and make some new connections, not the least important of which will be the line from Linden Station, on the Metropolitan Branch, via Fairfax C. H., to Fairfax Station, on the Va. Midland R.R., thence on to Quantico. Work has been progressing for some time on the Maryland side of the river, in speaking of which the Baltimore Sun says:

"An unusually long and high trestle, which the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company is now building, will carry the rails of the Metropolitan Southern Road over Rock creek, in Montgomery county. The trestle's greatest altitude will be 65 feet, and its total length will be \$1400 feet. Rock creek is only about 30 feet wide at that point, but the wooden framework extends across a wide basin which is drained by the little stream. The Metropolitan Southern is a connecting link of the proposed line from the Metropolitan Branch of the Baltimore and Ohio at Linden Station to a point on the Richmond and Danville near Fairfax Station, Va. The trestle is near the intersection of Rock creek and the Brookville road, about nine miles from Washington. It is expected to be finished in about two weeks, and the entire Metropolitan Southern line, as at present in construction from Linden to Connecticut avenue, Washington, will be ready for trains in December, it is thought."—Fairfax Herald

A TAILOR'S TERRIBLE PLIGHT—A curious and perhaps fatal accident took place in Forty-fifth street, New York, on Thursday morning. A tailor named Christian Reichart went into his shop to clean a coat with benzine. He looked the door after him and put the key in his pocket. By some mishap the benzine ignited and set his clothes on fire. He made an effort to put out the flames and to tear off his clothes, but he could not do so. He rushed through the store and made for the door, but he could not get the key out of his pocket, and seeing no other means of escape, he threw himself with all his might against the show-window of his store. The glass, which was about 9 feet high and 6 feet wide, broke with a crash and fell into the street. At the same time Reichart, a living torch, landed on the sidewalk. Two men who were passing, got a blanket and threw it around him, but it was all they could do to hold him down and smother the flames. Then they carried him to a store and an ambulance was called. Reichart was found to be badly burned about the arms and legs and body. He was removed to Bellevue Hospital. It is feared that he inhaled some fumes, in which case he will probably die. Singularly Reichart was not out by the glass. Not a scratch could be found on him. The flames in his shop were quickly put out by firemen.

SHOT AT FOR A COON—When James Dutton, wood chopper, went into the woods near Killingworth, Conn., to work on Saturday he wore a cap made of coon skin. At noon he sat down under a tree to eat his dinner, and just as he came to the dessert he jumped up and yelled like a maniac. Then he fell over and fainted. Ernest Wilcox, aged 17, had seen the cap, and the peculiar motion given to it by the working of Mr. Dutton's jaws led him to believe that he had got a chance at a real live coon in the daytime, and he fired at it. His aim was poor and only four small shot plunged their way through the cap and made slight furrows in Mr. Dutton's scalp. He became conscious soon afterward, and an examination of his injuries showed that he was not hurt. He knocked off work, however, and went to the store and bought a soft black hat for wear in the woods. The woods are full of short-sighted hunters.

THE COMING WINTER.—The fur on wild animals, thick shucks on corn, large persimmon crops, &c., &c., carry conviction to many that the following winter will be severe. But there is another indication which to us gives the contrary opinion. Every very severe winter, which we recall, commenced early. The later cold weather begins the shorter time it lasts. If the summer heat is not frozen out of the earth before the days begin to lengthen and the season takes a turn towards another summer, the fighting chances for a mild winter grow stronger every day. Nights of equal coldness in February and December will not make any where near as thick in the former month as in the latter. A very hard winter must begin not later than the 13th of November. The weather has been mild with the exception of the recent cold spell.

—Warrenton Virginian.

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Cream Balm

Cures the Nerve Pain

Alleviates Pain and Inflammation

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Restores the sense of Taste and Smell.

TRY THE CURE. HAY-FEVER

A part of it is applied to each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at druggists; by mail, registered, 60c.

56 Warren St., New York.

BISHOP'S CANARY SEED,

BIRD GRAVEL

And all other Bird Preparations.

ERNEST L. ALLEN,

Corner King and Pitt streets,

Alexandria, Va.

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W. M. MURRAY

MERCHANT TAILOR,

517 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Informs his customers that he has received a

Supply of Fall & Winter Goods,

And is now prepared to furnish

SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES

and on reasonable terms. sep21

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W. M. MURRAY

517 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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FAN AND A GLASS ICE CREAM SODA

for 50c at

ERNEST L. ALLEN,

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MEDICINAL

Stone Braker's Nerve & Bone

Liniment

THE GREAT

EXTERNAL REMEDY

For Man and Beast,

STONEBRAKER'S LINIMENT

CURES

Lumbago, Neuralgia, Pains in the Side and Limbs,

Scalds, Burns, Old Sores, Bruises, Chills, Frost

Bites, Ringworms, Tetter, Sprains, Swelled Joints,

Sore Throat, Mumps, Poison, Spinal Disease,

Gout, Pleurisy, Pains in Chest and Shoulder.

It will do a week's work in one night than all the oils and plasters in the world. It stands without rival for Rheumatism, Swelling in Horses, Scratches, Old Sores, Kicks, Windgalls, and all Diseases which require an external remedy. All flavors 50, 10, 15 and 25 cents a bottle; also sold in pints, quarts, gallons and barrels.

"POISONED!"

Two hundred and thirty-six persons died recently from the effects of poison taken in ice cream and pastries.

Do you want to be poisoned? Then be careful whose food you eat. To select proper material foodstuffs requires a thorough knowledge of chemistry, without which one assumes great risk of doing harm. Ask for Stonebraker's Concentrated Flavoring Extracts. They are the world's standard and insured at the best in use by James L. Barbour, Washington, D. C.; Hotel Remont, Baltimore, Md.; Albemarle Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Davis House, Richmond, Va.; New York City, Philadelphia, Pa.; Chicago, Ill.; Boston, Mass.; Paris, France, and all first-class markets. Ice cream and pastry manufacturers throughout the world. All flavors 50, 10, 15 and 25 cents a bottle; also sold in pints, quarts, gallons and barrels.

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Write us for special prices.

Ask for Tardina Glue. It mends china, glass, crockery, jewelry, brass and everything unbreakable. Price 5 cents the work over.

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THE ALEXANDRIA BRICK WORKS,

Situated on Hunting creek, are now prepared to

receive orders and deliver Bricks of all kinds

used in the trade on the shortest notice. Apply to

M. B. HARLOW,

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INSURANCE AGENTS,

Representing the following Old and Reliable Companies

ETHNA INSURANCE CO., Hartford, Conn.

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NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE CO., N. Y.

Respectfully solicit a part of the patronage of their

friends and the public generally. sep25 tf

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

OFFICE OF THE CHARLOTTEVILLE AND

RAPIDAN R. R. CO.

Alexandria, Va., November 2, 1891.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the

Charlottesville and Rapidan R. R. Co. will be held at

No. 1009 Prince Street, Alexandria, Va., on

MONDAY, November 30, 1891, at 12 o'clock

noon. J. S. B. THOMPSON,

Secretary.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the

VIRGINIA IRON SHIPBUILDING COMPANY will be

held at the company's office, Alexandria, Va.,

DECEMBER 3, 1891, at 12 m., to ratify

the vote of the directors authorizing sale of the

Pioneer Mill. By order of the Directors,

CHARLES E. MOODY, Sec'y.

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MERCHANT TAILORS.

ROBT. T. GRIMES,

Merchant Tailor,

No. 322 King Street, Alexandria, Va.,

Invites the attention of the public to his carefully

selected stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

Which he is prepared to manufacture into the

most stylish suits, at the shortest notice and on

most reasonable terms. A trial is all I ask.

sep29 2m R. T. GRIMES, 322 King Street.

ELECTION NOTICES.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

To the City of Alexandria:

You are hereby instructed, in pursuance of the

provisions of section 53 of the Code of Virginia,

to issue orders for an election to be held on the

9th day of December, 1891, to elect a successor

to the late Hon. W. H. F. Lee, member of the

House of Representatives of the United States.

Given under my hand and the Lesser Seal of

the Commonwealth, this 30th day of October,

1891. P. W. MCKINNEY.

By the Governor:

H. W. FLOURNOY,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

ELECTION NOTICE.

To the Judges of Election of the City of Alexandria:

Pursuant to the above writ of election, issued

to me by P. W. McKinney, Governor of Virginia,

to fill a vacancy from the Eighth Congressional

District, composed of the counties of Loudoun,

Fauquier, Fairfax, Prince William, Orange,

Stafford, Culpeper, Stafford, King George, Alexan-

dria City and Alexandria county, occasioned by

the death of Hon. W. H. F. Lee, you are hereby

directed to open polls, at the hours hereinbefore

stated, for an election to be held on the 9th

day of December, 1891, to elect a successor

to the late Hon. W. H. F. Lee, member of the

House of Representatives of the United States.

Given under my hand and the lesser seal of the

Commonwealth, this 30th day of October, 1891.

By the Governor: P. W. MCKINNEY.

H. W. FLOURNOY,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

COUNTY OF ALEXANDRIA; to wit:

In obedience to above instructions, it is ordered

that an election be held on the